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SUBJECT: WASHINGTON POST ARTICLE ON TRIAL OF EX-MINISTER
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1. FOLLOWING ARTICLE, ENTITLED "EX-MINISTER FACES TRIAL
IN ZAIRE" AND DATEDINED KINSHASA, APPEARED ON PAGE 3
OF MARCH 28 EDITION OF WASHINGTON POST: QUOTE: ZAIRE'S
FORMER JUSTICE MINISTER MAMPUYA KANUNKA TSHIABO AND OTHER
SENIOR PRISON AND LEGAL OFFICIALS WILL GO TO TRIAL HERE
THURSDAY ON CORRUPTION AND MANSLAUGHTER CHARGES, IT WAS
ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY.

THE TRIAL ORIGINALLY WAS SCHEDULED TO START YESTERDAY,
BUT HAD TO BE POSTPONED. MAMPUYA IS ACCUSED OF SIPHONING
OFF FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR PRISON FOOD. UNQUOTE.

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